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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Michael E. Fein

Application No.: 08/988,479

Filed: December 10, 1997

For: NON-IMAGING OPTICAL
CORNERS TURNER

Examiner: Gioacchino Inzirillo

Art Unit: 2828

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 27-31 and 48-50.

Please amend claims 2-9, 12-13, 15-19, 24-26 as follows:

- D 1 1. *sub E1* 2. (Twice Amended) The apparatus of claim 55 further comprising a non-imaging optical concentrator, for delivering a beam of light emitted from said optical fiber having half-angle divergence of 90 degrees, located between said optical fiber and said first port.

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